

## PRESENTATION FOR THE HIGH SCHOOL. 10:30

Presentation of the president's cup of the University of Arizona to Prescott High school as an award for the attainment by seven Prescott High graduates of the highest scholarship in the 1921-1922 freshmen class at the university, will be made by Dr. Cloyd H. Marvin, president of the university, in the high school auditorium at 10:30 o'clock this morning.

Delayed yesterday by unforeseen obstacles in transportation, Dr. Marvin did not arrive until last night, and was unable to attend the luncheon which had been planned for him at St. Joseph's Academy or to make the presentation of the cup at the high school yesterday afternoon.

Following the presentation address at the high school this morning, to which all who are interested among the general public are invited by Prof. S. H. Martin, superintendent of city schools, to attend, Dr. and Mrs. Marvin will attend the noon meeting of the Rotary club as the guest of the club.

This will be a ladies' day meeting, and all Rotary club members have been given the privilege of bringing their wives and friends, to the capacity of the Owl banquet hall, which can seat 150 people. Reservations are obtainable at the Owl or from Dr. E. Lee Howard, pastor of the Congregational church.

**LADIES' AID MEETS**  
The M. E. church Ladies' Aid society will meet today, December 20, in the social hall of the church, Mrs. M. T. Gwin hostess.

## VIOLENT WIFE'S HUSBAND AT LAW

Usual Complaint for Divorce Reversed in Case of Julius Fransioli Who Lists Cruelties of Partner With Desertion.

An unusual divorce complaint, where in the husband complains of his wife's cruelty, excesses, outrages and personal violence, was filed by Julius Fransioli against Lillian Fransioli. Mr. and Mrs. Fransioli were married at Denning N. M., on May 23, 1914.

In addition to unspecified acts of temper, the husband complains that his wife deserted him without his consent. The condition of affairs is said to have been far from "satisfactory." No children or community property are involved in the case, which was prepared by C. C. Norton.

## YAVAPAI DAIRYMEN FORM ASSOCIATION

For the purpose of consolidating interests of dairymen, purchasing feed in carload lots, adopting pure milk standards and establish bottle exchanges, dairymen of this county last night met in the office of C. U. Pickrell, county agricultural agent, and organized the Yavapai County Dairymen's Association. The following officers were elected: A. G. Well, Miller Valley, president; Joseph Young, Prescott, vice-president; and T. P. Morgan, Miller Valley, secretary-treasurer. About twelve dairymen were present. Another meeting will be held Friday evening at Mr. Pickrell's office, which the six or eight dairymen not at last night's meeting will be invited to attend.

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## BOARD GOES SOUTH TO BUY SOME NEW COUNTY EQUIPMENT

Yavapai county will soon have its two new snow ploughs to keep the Copper basin and other troublesome roads clear in winter, and in addition will have other new equipment. Supervisors Midgley and Colwell and Clerk Donovan yesterday afternoon went down to Phoenix armed with a lot of wants which they intend to fill by the purchasing of some new county equipment.

The snow ploughs which Mr. Donovan was recently authorized to buy have been ordered and will arrive presently. Meanwhile, the supervisors will lay in a supply of truck and automobile parts and other machinery accessories, in order to facilitate repair of county equipment. The repair work will be done by the county itself, probably at the excellent shop at the county farm in Miller Valley, the supervisors said yesterday. The purpose of this will be to save losses sometimes occasioned by having equipment laid up waiting for new parts to arrive.

## LEGION'S NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS WILL COST TEN MILLIONS

The city of Indianapolis and the county and state have appropriated \$10,000,000 for the construction of what is said will be the most magnificent memorial building in the country, as the national home of the American Legion, it was learned by local legion officials in word from Indianapolis yesterday.

Four solid blocks in the heart of Indianapolis have been condemned by the city as the site for the magnificent building which will house the national headquarters of the Legion.

## VERDE CENTRAL EXPLORES BODY OF COPPER ORE

(From Wednesday's Daily)

About 100 pounds of the chalcopyrite ore taken from the 200-foot level of the Verde Central mine at Jerome were brought to Prescott yesterday by C. T. Joslin, secretary-treasurer of the Verde Central Mining company, and as samples of the quality of ore encountered in the strike at that mine last week attracted considerable attention locally. The ore runs between 6 and 10 per cent copper. In the strike, which was made in the 810 level of the mine, a quantity of chalcocite running about 80 per cent copper was encountered, and some native copper has been found.

Interest in the developments at the Verde Central has been running high at Jerome for a week past, following the report that crews at the mine had worked their way through the iron ore which generally indicates the presence of copper and had struck a deposit of copper ore believed to be the big ore body for which the management of the Verde Central has been drifting. Many local people who hold Verde Central shares in various amounts also have kept themselves informed of what has been going on at the mine.

As a result, the price of Verde Central stock has risen rapidly in the past week. Quoted at \$1.50 just before the strike, it was asked for \$4.25 in Jerome yesterday. The present price ranges between \$3.50 and \$4.25 with no lack of takers, and those already owning stock were seeking to add to their holdings.

The workings in the 810 drift are now 85 feet in the drift, Mr. Joslin reported upon his return from the mine yesterday afternoon. What the extent of the deposit of chalcopyrite and chalcocite ore may be on either side of the workings in the drift has not been determined, but the cross-cutting will be begun in a few days. The management also plans to continue sinking on the shaft, now at a depth of 800 feet, and to run a new lower level back under the present workings and drift at a lower depth. Mr. Joslin believes that there are great possibilities for the development of a real mine, as indicated by the present strike. The ore body may develop to two or three hundred feet at greater depth, a possibility which those interested in the mine are considering as they watch the progress of development work.

## XMAS TREE TO BE DECORATED

(From Wednesday's Daily)

Work of decorating Prescott's municipal Christmas tree will be begun today, Chairman Bob Connell of the chamber of commerce decoration committee announced yesterday. With the assistance of Bert Savage, wires will be strung and lights placed. The work of completing the decorations will be carried on by the Boy Scouts and others.

Meanwhile, arrangement of the program which will be held at the tree is going forward under the chairmanship of Prof. S. H. Martin, city superintendent of schools. A complete Christmas program will be given, to be witnessed by the general public, and will be of an elaborate nature.

Prescott's municipal Christmas tree, which is erected and lighted in the plaza every year, is different from any similar municipal tree in that no distribution of baskets is made at the tree. These are distributed quietly beforehand. The committee which has this work in hand, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Richards, is preparing baskets of food and clothing to carry the Christmas spirit and the happiness of the Yuletide season to the needy, and various charitable organizations of the city are co-operating in this enterprise.

## YAVAPAI HAS BEST ROADS IN ARIZONA MIDGLEY DECLARES

Yavapai county has the best unpaved roads in Arizona, is the opinion of W. W. Midgley, chairman of the board of supervisors, after an extensive tour of several counties of the state and of part of California along the Colorado river.

"I have been through Yuma county and parts of Maricopa and Mohave and other counties and through Blythe and Needles recently," Midgley said yesterday, "and I am convinced by what I saw in those places that Yavapai county without a doubt has the best roads in the state with the exception of the paved roads in Maricopa."

The board of supervisors during the coming term will continue to devote much attention to maintaining the county roads in the best shape. Mr. Midgley declared. Always a matter of much concern to the supervisors, the roads which are continually being improved will be maintained in good shape for travel.

Documents, giving accounts of the secessionists' meeting during the years 1796 to 1800, have been discovered in an old building in the City of Mexico.

## MAYER NOTES

MAYER, Dec. 18.—The dance given by the Mayer Community club that had been postponed on account of bad weather was finally carried out with a rather small attendance as the weather has continued to be threatening. Those who were fortunate enough to be able to get there had a good time.

Alf Jones was busy for several days moving machinery from the property of the United Arizona on Squaw Creek to a property on Cherry Creek, the condition of the roads making it hard on the trucks being used in the work.

Mayer experienced a shortage of fuel for a few days last week but a car of coal arrived that relieved the situation.

Mrs. R. C. Walters spent a few days in Mayer doing her Christmas shopping and visiting friends. She returned to the ranch Saturday.

W. A. Frazer, an old-time resident of Mayer, spent several days in town, combining business with pleasure and getting acquainted over again. He has returned to his present home on Long Beach, Calif.

J. R. Robertson and Jim Terry have gone to the Swastika, where they have accepted positions with the Swastika Extension.

Joe Mayer spent the week-end in Prescott shopping for Christmas and visiting with friends.

Mrs. Appulstill has gone to the Swastika mine where she will be in charge of the boarding house for the Swastika Extension.

Miss Erma Nellis, Mrs. Warren Davis, Anona Wells, Lucile Jones from the normal at Flagstaff are expected in Mayer to spend the holidays with their relatives.

Mrs. Joe Mayer is expecting her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Thorpe, and son for a visit through the Christmas holidays. Mrs. Thorpe resides in Pasadena.

Mrs. W. L. George and sister, Mrs. Herrick, have been spending several days visiting with Mrs. Clem Pederson at Clarkdale. They returned home accompanied by Mrs. Pederson. The Pocahontas was one of the sufferers from shortage of fuel and has been compelled to close down until the situation clears.

Billy Elliott is going to move back to Prescott until spring, when we may see his smiling countenance in our town again.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Giroux are planning a family reunion to spend the Christmas holidays in Mayer. Miss Geraldine will return from the Tempe Normal, Miss Francis from St. Joseph's Academy, and Mrs. Florence Heaton will visit from California.

Brick Spence is back in Mayer, after an extended absence, visiting with relatives.

The Campfire Girls held a bazaar in the Aid building last Friday evening which was very well attended. The girls had prepared a very excellent luncheon and had a beautiful display of fancy needlework, together with small Christmas novelties and one booth devoted entirely to candy. They served the luncheon and sold the fancy work as long as there was any stock left and the late patrons had to be disappointed.

Nelson Mayer, who has been attending the Harvard Military school of Los Angeles this fall, returned home to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents. He will return to Los Angeles after the holidays.

The Mayer Community club holds the regular meeting Tuesday evening, December 19, and everybody interested in the district ought to attend. Every resident of the Agua Fria district is a member of this club and it is organized for your good. Why don't you take an interest in the doings of your own section?

Burrell Wright is in from his cattle ranch at Battle Flat and will remain over the holidays.

Work has started in a small way on the Mayer onyx quarry, but in the spring the company expect to enlarge their operations, when a much larger crew will be employed.

James Cook and family were visitors to Mayer and spent the day shopping for Christmas.

## PARIS SEEKS LIGHTER FORMS OF AMUSEMENT

PARIS, Dec. 1.—(By Mail)—The people of Paris spend a quarter of a billion francs yearly on theaters and motion pictures, and do not care to do much heavy thinking during the process. Government statistics on last year's receipts of every playhouse in Paris warrant these statements, and at the same time supply interesting information about what pleases the tired business man of France and his non-voting wife. Motion picture houses, which outnumber the regular theatres three to one, took in 50,000,000 francs in 1919, rather more than did the theatres, and a third of the total amusement receipts. Last year, however, the theatres took first places with receipts of 86,000,000 francs, 11,000,000 more than the movies. This increase seems to be due largely to the fact that theatergoers have modified their oppositional attitude toward high prices of admission and also by a revival of the typically light and racy play.

Hereafter the "Transatlantic Steamship Company of Spain" will carry no alcoholic beverages on board any of its steamers plying between ports in Spain and Mexico, as on their way they pass through American waters.

## GOLF ATTRACTS SIR GILBERT TO THE HASSAYAMPA

(From Wednesday's Daily)

"Hed Aitken has a bally swing!" Lolling in the Seats of the Mighty on the porch of the Hassayampa Country club yesterday, Sir Gilbert Parker, novelist, publicist and confirmed Hassayampaer, enjoyed another half hour of the rest for which he has returned to Arizona, and displayed a lively interest in the game of several of his Prescott friends who were driving on the reasonable side of the ninth hole.

"Heap is good—but not quite so good," continued Sir Gilbert, who then observed, apropos of Carna's Polly, "Ahal Doc Looney sliced!"

Sir Gilbert enjoyed a drive around Prescott yesterday in company with Secretary Grace Sparkes of the chamber of commerce, observed the manifold changes that have come over the city since his last visit six years ago and expressed his pleasure at finding that Prescott is still not only a mile high but in forthright western congeniality a mile long and a mile broad.

Through West Prescott and Pine Crest Sir Gilbert had the Right of Way. Sir Gilbert commented upon the neat appearance of the paving that is still recent enough to evoke appreciable pleasure in its first winter's use, and found that West Prescott is now a real part of the city and as beautiful a residence district as Prescott can boast.

Sir Gilbert's visit in town will not be long at this time—he leaves tomorrow for Castle Hot Springs—but when he has enjoyed the benefits of rest and recreation at the springs, he will return. This will be during Masonic grand lodge week in February, at which time he will be the guest of the chamber of commerce on a drive through the Verde valley, and at a luncheon to be given during grand lodge week.

## SAYS HUSBAND WON'T LET HER LIVE IN ARIZONA

(From Wednesday's Daily)

Denying specifically that her residence in Santa Monica instead of in Prescott is the result of desertion, Mrs. Ida M. Russell yesterday filed suit for divorce against Attorney John E. Russell, charging he has deserted her and refuses to let her return to Prescott to make her home with him.

Mrs. Russell's story as told in the divorce complaint involves the two young sons of the Russells, born in 1903 and 1906, for the benefit of whose education she alleges Russell induced her to go to Santa Monica to live. He, however, returned to Prescott and later, it is alleged, refused to allow her to return.

Some months ago Mrs. Russell sets forth, she receives as much as \$175 to support herself and the children. She asks for temporary alimony of \$200 a month, alleging she is not in proper state of health to earn her living, and expressing the belief that her husband is capable of earning good money in the practice of law here. For five years, the complaint asks that the alimony be set at \$200, and thereafter \$150 a month.

Costs and attorneys' fees are also asked, as well as the custody of the two children. Norris & Norris and R. McMurtrie sign the complaint as counsel for Mrs. Russell, who adds that a property settlement has been made.

## CITIZENS MAY GET TREES AT SPRUCE MOUNTAIN TODAY

(From Wednesday's Daily)

Prescott people may obtain Christmas trees from Spruce mountain this afternoon and Saturday noon, it was announced at the forest service office yesterday. A forest service man will be stationed on Charley Scholley's ground on Spruce mountain to supervise the cutting of trees. He will point out what trees may be cut, and those who want the trees will do the cutting.

No trees may be cut at any other time than the two afternoons indicated for that purpose, and persons cutting and removing trees from this ground at any other time will be guilty of trespassing. Spruce mountain is reached by driving out the Senator highway via groom Creek district and into the Senator district. The forest service man will be at the road to guide those seeking trees.

## CIVIL SERVICE EXAMS

The following civil service examinations have been announced by Bob Gelmer, secretary of the local board of examiners for early next month: January 9 for stenographer and typewriter. January 12, carpenter for Fort Whipple. January 12 and 13, for architectural draughtsman. January 20, for clerk-carrier. Further information may be obtained at the postoffice.

## FIND BOOZE IN POOL-HALL AND ARREST OWNER

(From Wednesday's Daily)

Federal prohibition agents who found two bottles of liquor on the premises of Jesus Noriega, proprietor of a pool-hall on South Granite street, yesterday appeared before United States Commissioner Renoe to testify at a hearing of Noriega on a charge of violating sections 3, 6 and 33 of the national prohibition act by having alleged alcoholic liquor in his possession. Noriega was placed under bond of \$500 to await trial in the U. S. district court, which may convene here the first of the year.

Noriega's place was raided at 1:30 yesterday morning. The officers declared they found several men in the pool-hall at that hour and that a pint bottle of liquor was taken from behind Noriega's bar and a quart bottle from a coal shed in the rear of the premises. Noriega admitted that the pint bottle of liquor was hid, but averred that he kept it for his own use. He claimed to have no knowledge of the quart bottle, which he said was very likely brought into the house by one employed occasionally to bring in coal.

## TWO MEN FREE OF DISTILLING

(From Saturday's Daily)

Yesterday evening was a happy time for Aniceto Quesado. When Jailor W. I. Johnson approached his cell in the county jail, Quesado, unaware that the jury session was over, anticipated a summons to appear before the court. Instead, Jailor Johnson unlocked his cell door and informed Quesado that by order of the county attorney's office he was a free man. The charge against him had been dropped, and he was at liberty to return to his home in the Santa Fe section-house at Pinavita, the first main-line station out of Ash Fork, where he was arrested last week for distilling whiskey.

Quesado and Manuel Diaz were arrested, one at Pinavita and the other at Ash Fork, when officers found a quantity of mash and alcoholic liquor in their possession, and were charged with having distilled the whiskey. Deputy Sheriffs John Hudgens and M. J. Schumacher arrested Quesado. Twenty gallons of mash and two gallons of whiskey were found in the house, of which the officers destroyed a gallon and a half, holding a half-gallon for evidence. A 50-gallon barrel of mash was found at Diaz' place. He was not brought to Prescott for the reason that he was already out under a \$250 bond on a similar charge.

There was not sufficient evidence to show that Quesado and Diaz had manufactured the whiskey found in their possession, so the charge against each of them was dismissed.

## O'ROURKE ONYX TO BE SOLD ON COAST

(From Wednesday's Daily)

D. J. O'Rourke is at his property near Mayer quarrying out two blocks of onyx that will aggregate two tons, for shipment to an eastern marble firm.

Mr. O'Rourke returned recently from the coast, where he submitted finished samples to prominent architects and builders, and he has the assurance of ample finances for developing the industry as soon as certain tests are completed. The O'Rourke property has no connection with that of the Yavapai Onyx Mining company, on whose ground, it is said, that no work is being done at the present time.

## PUBLIC RECORDS Compiled by the PRESCOTT TITLE COMPANY

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United States to Donald F. Bell, final receipt. N $\frac{1}{2}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , section 7, township 13 north, range 5 east.  
Daniel E. Parks to Nimrod McGuire, m. deed, \$500. One-half interest in 12 mining claims in Cherry Creek district.  
William E. Allen and wife to Edward Manders and wife, w. deed, \$10. S $\frac{1}{2}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , section 10, E $\frac{1}{2}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , section 15, township 15 north, range 3 west.  
W. J. DeArmond and wife to James Russell, w. deed, \$10. Portion W $\frac{1}{2}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , section 33, township 14 north, range 4 west.  
W. J. DeArmond and wife to Mary A. Dawes, w. deed, \$10. Portion W $\frac{1}{2}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , section 33, township 14 north, range 4 west.  
Wm. L. Kayser and wife to G. W. Hankin, w. deed, \$100. SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , section 4, township 13 north, range 4 west.  
Bloss Ramerez locates one claim in Weaver district.  
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